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In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and are Letters per *ounce*, for Books a *liter*, and *per two ounces*.

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Hongkong Bates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and are, *Letters per half ounce*, for Books *per cubic foot*.

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Hongkong Rates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and are, Letters *per half ounce*, for Books *per ounce*, and for Newspapers *per two ounces*.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, triple, &c., in the same way, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together, one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices of Rent may be paid either as Newspapers or as Letters.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copies, music, &c. The charge on such papers is as for books, but the weight is reckoned as if containing any partially written paper, it must not be charged less than cents.

The sender of a Registered Article or a Union Card may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Packages for such offices are limited to B. ounces, and must not exceed that weight.

Hongkong Bates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and are, Letters *per half ounce*, for Books *a Pattern, per two ounces*.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged at the *Proble*, and in such case may be, but such papers or packets may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together, one, nor must anything *whatever* be inserted except *book* like Supplements, and Patterns, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices of *cent* may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, through Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an *actual* or personal communication, such as *invoices*, *deeds*, *copyright music*, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written contents, it will not be charged less than *one cent*.

The sender of a Registered Article or a Union Country may accompany it with Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of *one cent*.

The Limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed the dimensions : 8 inches by 4 inches by 1/2 inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise civilized countries except the *Australia* and *Cape Colonies*.

Hongkong Rates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and the Letters *per half ounce*, for Books *a Pattern*, *per two ounces*.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, *trills*, &c., at the rate of *one cent* for each such paper or packet. Newspapers may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together, one, not more than *anything whatever* be inserted except *blank* *Supplements*. *Print* *matter* may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. *Prices of* *rent* may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an *actual* or *personal* communication, such as *invoices*, *deeds*, *commercial*, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than *cents*.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of *5 cents*.

The limit of weight for Posts and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 *ounces*. Letters for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed the dimensions : 8 inches by 4 inches by *inches*.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise all civilised countries except the *Australasia* and *Oppo* Colonies.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	7 cents per 1/2 oz.
Post Cards,	5 cents each.
Registration,	7 cents.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	1 cent per 2 oz.

Postage to Union Countries.

Hongkong Bates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and are, *Letters per half ounce*, for Books a *Pattern*, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged at double, *trials*, &c., as they may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. *Trials*. Newspapers must not be folded together, one, not must anything whatever be inserted except the inside Supplements. *Trials*. Postmaster may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. *Trials*. Prices of Comm. Paper may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, debts, copy music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight, if the paper containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 10 cents.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with Return Receipt on paying an extra 5 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Office is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed the dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 1 inch.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise all civilized countries except the Australasia and Cape Colonies.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	7 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	7 cents.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	2 cents.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route—	
Letters,	10 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	2 cents each.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	2 cents.

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Hongkong Rates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *chees*, and are, *Lettres per half ounce*, for Books & Patterns, *per two ounces*.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, *broads*, &c., as in case may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together, one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except *bona fide* Supplements. The *Master* may, however, be enclosed, if it whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices of Rent may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as *invoices*, *deeds*, *contracts*, *music*, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 10 *chees*.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 6 *chees*.

The Limit of weight for Books and Circular Papers to Foreign Post Offices 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed the dimensions : 8 inches by 4 inches by 1 inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise all civilised countries except the *Australasia* and *Cape Colonies*.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Lettres,	7 cents per 4 <i>chees</i> .
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	7 cents.
Books, Patterns, and	2 cents per 2 <i>chees</i> .
Comm. Papers,	

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route :—

Lettres,	10 cents per 4 <i>chees</i> .
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	2 cents each.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 <i>chees</i> .
Comm. Papers,	

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, the Cape, Straits, Letters, 10 *chees*; 10 *chees*; Newspapers, 20 *chees*; Patterns, 2 *chees*; in *Open* Letters, 15 *chees*; Registration, 10 *chees*; Newspapers, 20 *chees*; Books and Patterns, 2 cents per 2 *chees*.

Hongkong Bates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *pence*, and are, *Letters per half ounce*, for Books & Patterns, *per two ounces*.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged *double*, *triple*, &c., as the case may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together, one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except *long* like Supplements. Print matter may, however, be enclosed, while to be paid at Book Rate. Prices of Rent may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as Invoices, debts, copious, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight, a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 5 cents.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with Receipt on paying an extra fee of 5 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 5 ounces, and must not exceed 10 dimensions 8 inches by 4 inches by 1/2 inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise all civilised countries except the Australia and Cape Colonies.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	7 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	7 cents.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route (—)

Letters,	4 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	2 cents each.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	

There is no charge on redirected or correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, the Torres Straits, Letters, 10 cents; Patterns, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books, Patterns, 2; *in Ceylon*, Letters, 10 cents; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2 cents; Books and Patterns, 2 cents per 2 oz. S. America, Colonies, Letters, 20 cents; Patterns, 10; Newspapers, 5; Books, Patterns, 5 per 2 oz.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Local Rates for Hongkong, Macao, China, Japan, North Borneo, the Straits Settlements, Ceylon, India, and the Philippines.

Hongkong Rates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *pence*, and the Letters per half ounce, for Books & Patterns, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, triple, &c., as they may be, but such papers or packets of newspapers may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together; one, not more than anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Friction matter may, however, be enclosed, if it while be paid at Book Rate. Prices of news may be paid either as Newspaper or Book.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as Arrivals, Deaths, Communications, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 6 pence.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 5 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed 4 dimensions : 8 inches by 4 inches by 1 inch.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise all civilised countries except the Australia and Cape Colonies.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	7 cents per ½ oz.
Post Cards,	2 cents each.
Registration,	7 cents.
Books, Patterns, &	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route —	
Letters,	10 cents per ½ oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	2 cents each.
Books, Patterns, &	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, the Torres Straits, Letters, 10 pence; 10 c. Telegrams, 2 c.; Books & Patterns, 2 c.; in Ovens, Letters, 10 c.; Registration, 10 c.; Newspapers, 2 cents each. B. African Colonies :—Letters, 20 registration, 10 c.; Newspapers, 5 Books & Patterns, 5 per 2 oz.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Local Rates for Hongkong, Macao, China, Japan, North Borneo, Straits Settlements, Coochin-China, Tonkin and the Philippines :—
Letters per ½ oz., 5 cents (c).
Post Cards, each, 1 cent.
Registration, 2 c. Telegrams, 2 c.; 2 c. Newspapers and Printed Urnents, 2 cents.
Registration, 5 cents.

(c) Between Hongkong, Canton, and

Hongkong Rates of Postage.

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *pence*, and are, as Letters per half ounce, for Books at Patterns, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, triple, &c., as the case may be, but such papers or packets of newspapers must be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together; one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if it whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices of current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copy music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than one ounce.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 6 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed the dimensions : 8 inches by 4 inches by 1 inch.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise all civilised countries except the Antislavery and Opium Countries.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	7 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	7 cents.
Books, Patterns and Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route —	
Letters,	10 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	2 cents each.
Books, Patterns and & Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, the Torres Straits, Letters, 15 cents per 1 oz.; Newspapers, 2; Books & Patterns, 2; P. in Cn. Letters, 10; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2 cents per 2 oz.; Books and Patterns, 2 cents per 2 oz.
S. African Colonies — Letters, 20 cents per 1 oz.; Newspapers, 5; Books & Patterns, 5 per 2 oz.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Local Rates for Hongkong, Macao, China, Japan, North Borneo, Straits Settlements, Cochin-China, Tonkin and the Philippines:—

Letters per 1 oz., 5 cents (c).
Post Cards, 1 cent.
Books and Patterns, per 2 oz., 2 cents
Newspapers and Printed Current, as above, 1 cent.
Registration, 5 cents.

(a) Between Hongkong, Canton, and Shanghai.

Local Delivery.

1. All correspondence posted before 9 o'clock on any week day for address in Victoria will be delivered the same morning and generally within two hours, unless delivery should be retarded by the Collector of Mails.

Hongkong Rates of Postage

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and are, Letters *per half ounce*, for Books *per Pattern*, *per two ounces*.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, *trills*, &c., and are to be sent in such papers or packets. Newspapers may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together, one, not *more* anything *wherever* be inserted except *bona fide* Supplements. If matter may, however, be enclosed, if a whole be paid at Book Rate. Newspapers may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, drafts, commercial, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight as a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than *cents*.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of *5 cents*.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 *lb*. 10 *oz*. for each office, and the dimensions : 8 inches by 4 inches by inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise civilised countries except the Australia and Cape Colonies.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	7 cents per 1/2 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route (—)

Letters,	10 cents per 1/2 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	2 cents each.
Books, Patterns and	2 cents per 2 oz.
Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, via Torres Straits, Letters, 10 cents; registration, 10 cents; Newspapers, 2 cents; Patterns, 2 cents; via Ceylon, Letters, 15 cents; Registration, 10 cents; Newspapers, 2 cents; Patterns, 2 cents; via Suez, Letters, 15 cents; Africa Colonies :—Letters, 20 cents; registration, 10 cents; Newspapers, 5 cents; Patterns, 5 per 2 oz.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Local Rates for Hongkong, Macao, China, Japan, North Borneo, the Straits Settlements, Ceylon, China, Tonkin and the Philippines :—

Letters per 1/2 oz.,	5 cents (c).
Post Cards,	each, 1 cent.
Books and Patterns	per 2 oz., 2 cents
Newspapers and Printed Currents,	per 2 oz., 2 cents
Registration,	6 cents.

(c) Between Hongkong, Canton, and Shanghai.

Local Delivery.

1. All correspondents posted by *h.m.* on any week day for address in Victoria will be delivered the same day and generally within two hours, unless delivery should be retarded by the *Cable Mail*.

2. Invitations, &c. can generally be delivered at Victoria at the place of the address rather than at the places of business, if a wish to that be expressed by the sender, otherwise correspondence is invariably delivered at the nearest place of business.

3. For Booklets which the sender desires, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, &c.

Hongkong Bates of Postage.

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in *cents*, and are, *Letters per half ounce*, for Books a *Pattern*, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, or triple, &c., as the case may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Newspapers must not be folded together; one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except *bona fide Supplements*. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices of Rent may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal communication, such as invoices, deeds, contracts, music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than one ounce.

The sender of a Registered Article to a Union Country may accompany it with Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 6 cents.

The Limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed the dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 1 inch.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise civilised countries except the Australia and Cape Colonies.

Postage to the United Kingdom.

Letters,	7 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	7 cents.
Books and Patterns and	
Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route:—	
Letters,	10 cents per 1 oz.
Post Cards,	3 cents each.
Registration,	10 cents.
Newspapers,	7 cents each.
Books, Patterns and	
Comm. Papers,	2 cents per 2 oz.

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania,	
Fiji, New Caledonia, Letters, 10	
cents per 1 oz.; Newspapers, 2; Books	
Patterns, 2; 10 in Ceylon, Letters, 10	
cents per 1 oz.; Newspapers, 2 cents	
per 5 oz.; Books and Patterns, 2	
cents per 5 oz.; Letters, 20	
cents per 1 oz.; Newspapers, 5; Books	
Patterns, 5 per 2 oz.	

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Local Rates for Hongkong, Macao, China, Japan, North Borneo, Straits Settlements, Coochin-China, Tonkin, & the Philippines.

Letters per 1 oz., 5 cents (c).	
Post Cards, each, 1 cent.	
Books and Patterns, per 2 oz., 2 cents	
Newspapers and Printed Office matter,	
Registration, 6 cents.	

(c) Between Hongkong, Canton, and 7 cents.

Local Delivery.

1. All correspondence posted before p.m. on any week day for delivery in Victoria will be delivered the same day, and generally within two hours, unless delivery should be retarded by the Government Mail.

2. Invitations, &c., can generally be delivered within Victoria at the places of business of the addressee rather than the place of business, if it wish to be so expressed by the sender, otherwise correspondence invariably delivered to the nearest place of business.

3. Boxholders who desire to send large Dividend Warrants, Invitations, &c., all of the same weight, to address Hongkong or the Ports of China, may, if they wish, have the postage being then charged to sender's account. Each batch must consist of at least 100.

Extra bearers or drivers and extra horse may be paid proportionate sums.

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